

Dear Applicant:

Thank you for your interest in the E-85 Coalition's program. As part of our goal to expand the availability of alternative fuels to consumers in Colorado, the Coalition is offering funding to qualifying facilities. Enclosed with this letter you will find an application (Request for Support), as well as the Support Matrix, which defines the criteria for qualification.

The following paragraph describes the attached Support Matrix. Column 1: To be considered for a grant, the applicant must be able to obtain a long-term supply of ethanol at a set price. Applicants should establish a supply relationship before seeking a grant. Columns 2 and 3: The percentage of funding allowable in Column 3 is determined by the number of alternative fuel vehicles in Column 2. The number of alternative fuel vehicles can be obtained at:

http://www.state.co.us/oemc/programs/transportation/ffv/flex_fuel_vehicles.pdf. The number in Column 3 is a percentage of the total project costs after taking into account other available tax incentives.

Additional funding can be obtained, as defined in Column 4. Extra credit is given for: offering more than one alternative fuel for sale, being located in an agricultural community, being located near a major interstate, and/or serving a large fleet of vehicles on behalf of an organization (state agency, UPS, etc). Any other factor that you think is important should be included in the Request for Support.

A maximum of 75% of the after-tax incentive project costs but no more than \$15,000 per applicant may be awarded. Marketing support may be provided separately based on different criteria.

For additional information, please contact Rob Pearson at the Colorado Governor's Office of Energy Management and Conservation, (303) 866-2163 or rob.pearson@state.co.us.

Thank you again for your interest in building the E85 infrastructure in Colorado! After we receive your request, a representative from the Coalition will be contacting you.

Sincerely, Gerry Harrow President Colorado E85 Coalition 970.405.6691